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In re application of: :
Baldwin : Art Unit: 3661
AN 09/133,741 : Examiner: Thu Nguyen
Filed: 08/13/1998 : Atty's Docket: TD-143
For: Improved Triangle Clipping for 3D Graphics (confirmation no. 6925)

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANCE WITH
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Sir:

Enclosed is an amended appeal brief for the above application. Four complete copies are included, three bound and one unbound. The amended brief is being filed in response to a Notification of Non-Compliance mailed 03/19/2004.

As requested by the Examiner, the appeal brief has been amended to state that Claims 1-3, 7-18, 20-27, and 47-52 are the subject of this appeal. A call to Examiner Nguyen on March 24, 2004, confirmed that there were no other grounds of non-compliance with respect to the appeal brief and that this amendment would place the appeal brief in complete compliance.

As all grounds of alleged non-compliance have now been confirmed by Examiner Nguyen and corrected by the Applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner submit the enclosed appeal briefs to the Board.

Any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment has been requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this paper has been authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 07-2320.

Respectfully submitted,

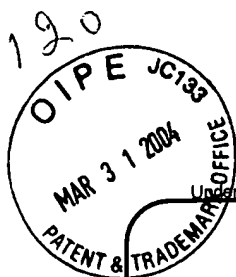
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